Expenditure in connection with the Legislative Council.

Mr. A. B. SALEM (*Jews*).

3. Will the Government be pleased to inform

(a) The total amount of expenditure incurred by Government on account of the introduction of the Cochin Legislative Council Regulation into force to-date?

(b) The amount of additional expenditure, if any, that are being incurred, or have to be incurred up to the end of Karkadagam 1100 and that have been budgetted.

Mr. T. K. KRISHNA MENON (*Secretary to the Legislative Council*).

(a) Actual expenditure incurred up-to-date is Rs. 4,637.

(b) The expenditure that may have to be incurred to the end of Karkadagam 1100 will be Rs. 2,200.

The amount budgetted is Rs. 6,856.

Election Expenses.

Mr. A. B. SALEM (*Jews*).

4. (a) Will the Government be pleased to inform the total cost incurred by all the candidates that stood for election in the 30 Constituencies of the State according to the returns of election expenses lodged by them?

(b) Will the Government be further pleased to lay on the table a concise consolidated statement of all the returns lodged by the candidates?

Mr. T. K. KRISHNA MENON (*Secretary to the Legislative Council*).

(a) Rs. 9,194—2—7.

(b) The statement is laid on the table. (*Vide Appendix 4*).

X-Ray Expert in the Ernakulam Hospital.

Mr. PAULO MAMPILLI (*Narakkal.*)

5. Will the Government be pleased to state whether, except in the Madras General Hospital there

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